

ABSTRACT

Provided is an aqueous dispersion for nail enamel comprising a copolymer (E) having a weight-average molecular weight as determined by GPC of 1×10^4 to 4×10^4 as polystyrene, being obtainable by polymerizing a total of 100 wt parts a monomer (A) selected from tert-butyl (meth)acrylate, cyclohexyl (meth)acrylate and benzyl (meth)acrylate and another radical-polymerization unsaturated monomer (B) in an aqueous medium in the presence of 0.1 to 10.0 wt parts of a compound $(\text{HS}-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{COO})_n-\text{R}$.